



**Ashland School Committee Members**

Laurie Tosti, Chair  
Marc Terry, Vice-Chair  
Christina Fitanides, Secretary  
Paul Kendall, Member  
Marcy Culverwell, Member

<b>Board/Committee:</b> School Committee Meeting - Hybrid
<b>Date:</b> November 13, 2024
<b>Time of Meeting(s):</b> 6:00 p.m. Convene a HYBRID Regular School Committee Meeting at the Ashland Town Hall, 101 Main Street, Select Board Meeting Room and via Zoom <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84625037306?pwd=5Gr7KSu1ce2ITE6lYGHYmCrr0joe7.1">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84625037306?pwd=5Gr7KSu1ce2ITE6lYGHYmCrr0joe7.1</a>

*The Ashland Public Schools strives to be a model district that creates a culture of inclusivity for our diverse students and staff who:*

- *feel safe and supported,*
- *are empowered with the academic and social-emotional skills to pursue their chosen path and*
- *embrace their roles as positive contributors to local and global communities.*

Announce: “This meeting (is/is not) being recorded by WACA cable TV.”

- I. Call to Order**
  - A. Opening Procedures: Agenda Review and Adoption
- II. Public Participation** ([Guidelines for Public Participation](#))
- III. Reports and Presentations**
  - A. Student Presentations
    - 1. AMS Middle School Band
  - B. AMS Update: Erin Lachapelle, Principal
  - C. [MCAS Presentations - Mike Caira](#)
  - D. [Approval of the 2025-2026 School Calendar](#)
  - E. Warrant Approvals
  - F. Superintendent’s Report
  - G. Assistant Superintendent’s Report
- IV. Action Items/Discussion Updates**
  - A. First Read of Policies:
    - i. [JJIF-R Athletic Concussion Regulations](#)
    - ii. [AD - Vision and Mission Statement](#)
    - iii. [EBCFA- Face Coverings](#)
  - B. Second Read and Approval of Policies:
    - i. [AC- Non-Discrimination Policy Including Harassment and Retaliation](#)
    - ii. [AC-R Non-Discrimination Policy Including Harassment and Retaliation](#)
- V. Consent Agenda**
  - A. Approval of Gifts and Donations
- VI. Reports of School Committee Members**
- VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION** - Move to enter into executive session under MGL; CH30A; S21(a) 2 To conduct strategy sessions in preparation for negotiations with nonunion personnel, (Superintendent Jim Adams) or to conduct collective bargaining with the intent of not returning to Public Session.
- VIII. Adjourn**

The matters listed are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair. Not all items may be discussed, and other items may also be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.

The next meeting will be a hybrid regular meeting on Wednesday, December 11, 2024, at 6:00 p.m.